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Title: Materials and Methods For The Treatment or  
Prevention Of Obesity  
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**Supplemental Amendment and Response to Final Office Action**

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Sir:

On November 24, 2009, Applicants submitted a Response to the final Office Action mailed September 24, 2009. On December 9, 2009 the Examiner called Applicants' representative to indicate that the claims would be in condition for allowance if certain specified amendments were made. Applicants submit herewith a supplemental Amendment and Response incorporating the Examiner's proposed amendments to the claims.

If any fee is required other than those already provided for with this filing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 22-0261, with reference to Attorney Docket No. 31894-192402, and asked to notify the undersigned counsel accordingly.

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**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 5.

**Remarks** begin on page 10.